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IN THE CLAIMS

*The status of the claims as presently amended is as follows:*

1. (Currently Amended) A computer-implemented document management method of managing a plurality of files of documents by using a list having records concerning the files of documents, comprising the steps of:

displaying the list having the records concerning the files, the records being used for managing the plurality of files of documents;

assigning identifiers to a plurality of records selected from the records in the displayed list, the identifiers having respective priorities which indicate a processing order in which the files are to be processed; and

executing processing on the selected records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ in the processing order indicated by the respective priorities of the identifiers.

2. (Currently Amended) A computer-implemented document management method according to claim 1, further including the step of displaying the respective priorities of the identifiers being assigned to selected records.

3. (Currently Amended) A computer-implemented document management method according to claim 1, wherein the processing executed in said executing step comprises integrating the selected records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ in the processing order indicated by the respective priorities of the identifiers.

4. (Currently Amended) A computer-implemented document management method according to claim 1, wherein the processing executed in said executing step comprises copying the selected records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ in the processing order indicated by the respective priorities of the identifiers.

5. (Currently Amended) A computer-implemented document management method according to claim 1, wherein the processing executed in said executing step comprises moving the selected

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records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ in the processing order indicated by the respective priorities of the identifiers.

6. *(Currently Amended)* A computer-implemented document management method according to claim 1, wherein the processing executed in said executing step comprises sorting the selected records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ in the processing order indicated by the respective priorities of the identifiers.

7. *(Currently Amended)* A computer-implemented document management method according to claim 1, wherein the identifiers are marks.

8. *(Currently Amended)* A document management system capable of managing a plurality of files of documents by using a list having records concerning the files of documents, comprising:

displaying means for displaying the list having the records concerning the files, the records being used for managing the plurality of files of documents;

identifier assigning means for assigning identifiers to a plurality of records selected from the records in the displayed list, the identifiers having respective priorities which indicate a processing order in which the files are to be processed; and

processing execution means for executing processing on the selected records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ in the processing order indicated by the respective priorities of the identifiers.

9. *(Previously Presented)* A document management system according to claim 8, further including display means for displaying the respective priorities of the identifiers being assigned to the selected records.

10. *(Currently Amended)* A document management system according to claim 8, wherein the processing executed by said processing execution means comprises integrating the selected records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ in the processing order indicated by

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the respective priorities of the identifiers.

11. *(Currently Amended)* A document management system according to claim 8, wherein the processing executed by said processing executing means comprises copying the selected records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ the processing order indicated by the respective priorities of the identifiers.

12. *(Currently Amended)* A document management system according to claim 8, wherein the processing executed by said processing execution means comprises moving the selected records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ the processing order indicated by the respective priorities of the identifiers.

13. *(Currently Amended)* A document management system according to claim 8, wherein the processing executed by said processing execution means comprises sorting the selected records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ the processing order indicated by the respective priorities of the identifiers.

14. *(Previously Presented)* A document management system according to claim 8, wherein the identifiers are marks.

15. *(Currently Amended)* A storage medium storing a program for executing a document management method of managing a plurality of files of documents by using a list having records concerning the files of documents, said program comprising:

a displaying module for displaying the list having the records concerning the files, the records being used for managing the plurality of files of documents;

an identifier assigning module for assigning identifiers to a plurality of records selected from the records in the displayed list, the identifiers having respective priorities; and

a processing execution module for executing processing on the selected records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ the processing order indicated by the

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respective priorities of the identifiers.

16. *(Previously Presented)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein said control program further includes a display module for displaying the respective priorities of the identifiers being assigned to the selected records.

17. *(Currently Amended)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein the processing executed by said processing execution module comprises integrating the selected records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ in the processing order indicated by the respective priorities of the identifiers.

18. *(Currently Amended)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein the processing executed by said processing executing module comprises copying the selected records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ in the processing order indicated by the respective priorities of the identifiers.

19. *(Currently Amended)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein the processing executed by said processing executing module comprises moving the selected records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ in the processing order indicated by the respective priorities of the identifiers.

20. *(Currently Amended)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein the processing executed in said processing executing module comprises sorting the selected records to which the identifiers are assigned, ~~according to~~ in the processing order indicated by the respective priorities of the identifiers.

21. *(Previously Presented)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein the identifiers are marks.

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22. *(Previously Presented)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein the storage medium is a floppy disk.

23. *(Previously Presented)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein the storage medium is a hard disk.

24. *(Previously Presented)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein the storage medium is an optical disk.

25. *(Previously Presented)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein the storage medium is a magneto-optical disk.

26. *(Previously Presented)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein the storage medium is a CD-ROM (Compact Disk Read Only Memory).

27. *(Previously Presented)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein the storage medium is a CR-R (Compact Disk Recordable).

28. *(Previously Presented)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein the storage medium is a magnetic tape.

29. *(Previously Presented)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein the storage medium is a nonvolatile memory card.

30. *(Previously Presented)* A storage medium according to claim 15, wherein the storage medium is a ROM (Read Only Memory).